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Friday - 14 August 1970

- 25X1 1. [] - JMM) Called Walter Silva, Acting Chief of
25X1A Greek Affairs, State Department, to report my conversation yesterday
with Walter Pincus, of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff,
regarding [] (See Journal of 13 August 1970.)
- 25X1 2. [] - GLC) Hand-carried to Harriet Robnett, on
the staff of Senator Stuart Symington (D., Mo.), Mr. Maury's letter
to the Senator in response to a constituent inquiry from []
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- 25X1 3. [] - GLC) Talked with Bill Cochrane, Administra-
tive Assistant to Senator B. Everett Jordan (D., N.C.), about their
STATOTHR referral of correspondence with Mr. [] who alleges
STATOTHR harassment on the part of the FBI, CIA, and/or military intelligence.
I told Cochrane that the Agency had not investigated Mr. [] and was
STATOTHR in no way responsible for the alleged harassment which he claims.
Cochrane is aware of the fact that [] is a disturbed individual but
has some hope of convincing him that his problem is a fiction of his own
imagination. He has asked if we will give him a simple negative letter
along the same lines as that provided by the FBI. I told him we would
be glad to do so.
- 25X1 4. [] GLC) J. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate
25X1C Internal Security Subcommittee, called and said that they would like to
put their investigator, Al Tarabochia, in touch with our people to get a
little background on [] before they attempt to
25X1 25X1C contact him [] They would also like to know something of
[] areas of competence before talking with him. It was agreed
that I would be back in touch with Tarabochia on this unless I ran into
problems in which case I would contact Sourwine.

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Monday - 10 August 1970

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1. [] - JMM) On the Director's instructions called Kenneth Harkins, of the House Judiciary Committee staff, to say that the Director didn't want to be difficult but couldn't understand why an additional letter to the Committee was necessary (as Mr. Harkins had requested last week) when there was really nothing more to say. Harkins explained that he wanted the letter so that "the Committee won't have to take my word for it." Accordingly the Director signed a noncommittal letter confirming that, since there was nothing to add, he stood on his 15 July letter.

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2. [] - JGO) Met with Mr. Stephen Small, Assistant to Senator Clifford P. Case (R., N.J.), and discussed with him the constituent correspondence from Mr. [], New Jersey, that was forwarded by the Senator's office transmittal note of 5 August. Mr. Small advised that he has talked to the Veterans Administration and received some information from them on why the individual might write such a letter. Mr. Small was interested in learning about the Agency's no comment policy on such cases. He thanked me for coming by and told me no further action would be required.

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STATOTHR 3. [] - JGO) Received a call from Mr. J. G. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, who requested such information as we can provide him on [] who Mr. Sourwine indicated "worked for the company some eight years ago." I took this occasion to brief Mr. Sourwine more fully on the inability of [] 25X1C

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[] to meet with the Subcommittee this week. Mr. Sourwine asked if we would furnish him as soon as possible with an address where Mr. [] can be reached. After checking with Mr. [] WH Division, I gave Mr. Sourwine the following address: []

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